Amendments to the Title

Page 1, line 1, please change the title to read " COMPLEXITY SCALABLE VIDEO DECODING". This title changed per the request of the Searching Authority.

Amendments to the Specification

Please delete the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 5.

Please add the following new paragraph at page 1, line 5:

This application claims the benefit, under 35 U.S.C. § 365 of International Application PCT/US2005/010436, filed March 31, 2005, which was republished in accordance with PCT Article 21(2) on March 16, 2006, in English and which claims the benefit of United States provisional patent application No. 60/558,862 filed April 2, 2004.